

92. (Unchanged) A surgical barrier device in accordance with claim 90, wherein the surgical drape sheet covers the entirety of the material sheet and is attached to the periphery of the material sheet.

93. (Unchanged) A surgical barrier device in accordance with claim 75, wherein the plurality of apertures open through the surface in the inflatable device.

94. (Unchanged) A surgical barrier device in accordance with claim 93 wherein the apertures include spaces between the fibers of the fibrous material.

95. (Unchanged) A surgical barrier device in accordance with claim 93, wherein the apertures include multiple discrete holes in the base sheet.

REMARKS

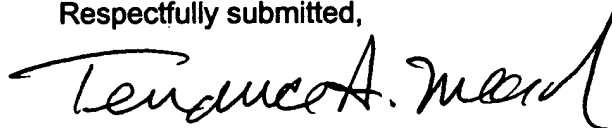
Species IX of Figures 20 and 21 has been elected and claims 58-95 remain in the application.

Claims 58-70, 75-88, and 93-95 read on Figures 20 and 21.

A check for \$200 for the Request to Extend time is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 50-2258.

The applicants now await the first examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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